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In re application of: Woodward et al.

Attorney Docket No.: WVANP012

Application No.: 09/813,235

Examiner: Jasmin, Lynda C.

Filed: March 19, 2001

Group: 3627

Title: TECHNIQUE FOR HANDLING SALES OF
REGULATED ITEMS IMPLEMENTED OVER A
DATA NETWORK

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
(37 CFR §1.114)**

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) of the above-identified application.

NOTE: If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d) instead of an RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114:

- a. ☒ Previously submitted
- i. ☒ Consider the amendment/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on 31 May 2005. (Any unentered amendment referred to above will be entered.)
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on ____.
- iii. ☐ Other ____.
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☐ Amendment/Reply
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- ☒ Copies of IDS Citations
- iv. ☐ Other ____.

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2. **Fees:** *(The RCE fee is required at the time the RCE is filed.)*

Fee Calculation (37 CFR §1.16)

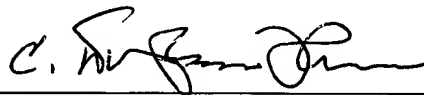
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- ☒ a. Applicant hereby petitions for a one - month extension of time.
- ☒ b. Applicant believes that no (additional) extension of time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant hereby petitions that such an extension be granted and authorizes the Director to charge the required fees for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
- ☒ c. Enclosed is a Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$910.00 to cover the RCE fee (\$790), extension of time (\$120) and/or additional fees.
- ☒ d. The Director is authorized to charge any fees beyond the amount enclosed which may be required, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. RLC1G000)
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